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<b>Interview Summary</b>	<b>Application No.</b> 10/527,913	<b>Applicant(s)</b> BANIK ET AL.	
	<b>Examiner</b> Jennifer L. Norton	<b>Art Unit</b> 2121	

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Jennifer L. Norton. (3) \_\_\_\_.

(2) John Muson Reg. No. 44,961. (4) \_\_\_\_.

Date of Interview: 16 January 2009.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic    b) ☐ Video Conference  
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant    2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes    e) ☒ No.  
If Yes, brief description: N/A.

Claim(s) discussed: N/A.

Identification of prior art discussed: N/A.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached.    g) ☐ was not reached.    h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: The Examiner contacted and left a message with John Musone to verify that no reply was sent in response to the Final Office Action mailed on 10 July 2008. Mr. Musone left a message for the Examiner on 16 January 2009 indicating Application No. 10/527,913 is abandoned.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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